ESTABLISHMENT NO. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE FOOD SAFETY AND INSPECTION SERVICE **CORRELATION OF MICROBIAL AND RELATED DATA** SALMONELLA SAMPLE RESULT **ESTABLISHMENT GENERIC E-COLI RESULTS** DATE NR'S FOR FECAL OK + or NOT OK (~) SAMPLE COPY DATE SIGNATURE OF INSPECTOR

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USING FSIS FORM 5500-1, CORRELATION OF MICROBIAL AND RELATED DATA

OPHS: Fill in the establishment number and the first two columns on the form.

OPHS will list all the dates for which it has Salmonella results, and the results, as a positive (+) or negative (-). It is desirable that dates be consecutive, although the overriding consideration is whether there is a Salmonella result. If there is no Salmonella result, the correlation cannot be completed.

Once the first two columns are completed for the appropriate number of days (30), forward a copy of the form to the SVMO/VMO for completion of the last three columns.

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SVMO/VMO: Complete the last three columns by reviewing establishment & inspection records.

For each date in Column I, the SVMO/VMO secures and reviews establishment generic E coli records to determine whether the establishment met the performance criterion on that date; this information is entered under "Establishment Generic E-Coli Results". Note: if the establishment performs fewer than 13 generic E coli analyses per day, the SVMO/VMO will need to consider results from a previous day in order to determine if the criterion was met. If the establishment met the criterion, the SVMO/VMO will check the "OK" column. If the establishment did not meet the criterion, the SVMO/VMO will give a reason under the "Not-Ok," column. There are two possible reasons which will be noted by "M" meaning the establishment had a result which exceeded M, or "m's" meaning the establishment had too many results in the marginal range.

For each date in Column I, the SVMO/VMO reviews inspection records to determine if there were any NRs for failure to meet the zero tolerance standard for fecal material and enters the NR number in the last column.

SVMO/VMO signs and dates the form.